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OF XENOGENEIC CELLS TO INDUCE HYPERACUTE
REJECTION AND INNOCENT BYSTANDER EFFECT

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AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Madam:

In response to the Office Action dated October 3, 2001, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

In the Specification

Please replace the paragraph at page 29, beginning at line 11 with the following:

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MLVENV-F (5'-ACCTGGAGAGTCACCAACC-3') SEQ ID NO: 1 and MLVENV-R (5'-TACTTTGGAGAGGTCGTAGC-3') SEQ ID NO: 2 were designed to amplify a 411 bp fragment of the env gene. The PCR reaction was 3 min. at 94°C, followed by 30 cycles of 94°C for 20 seconds, 68°C for 1 minute, and 72°C for 1 minute, with a final extension of 10 minutes at 72°C. The reaction mix was 500 ng of genomic DNA (sample), 25 pmoles of each primer, 1X PCR buffer, 0.2 mM dNTPs, 1.25 MM MgCl₂, and 1.25 U Taq. A375 NV cells and a sample containing no genomic DNA were used as negative controls. 100 fg of pPAM3 was used as a

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